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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): PROCESS FOR PREPARING FLUOROHALOGENETHERS

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- 18 pages of Specification/Claims 1-10/Abstract are attached.
- A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- An assignment of the invention to SOLVAY SOLEXIS S.p.A. is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- Priority of foreign application No. MI2003 A 00044 filed March 11, 2003 in Italy is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA
BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	10 - 20	= 0
INDEP CLAIMS	1 - 3	= 0
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**SMALL ENTITY**

RATE	Fee
\$ 385	\$ 385
x 9 =	\$
x 43 =	\$
+145 =	\$
TOTAL	\$

**LARGE ENTITY**

OR	RATE	Fee
OR	\$ 770	\$ 770
OR	x 18	\$
OR	x 86	\$
OR	+290	\$
OR	TOTAL	\$ 770

- A check in the amount of \$810.00 (\$770.00 for the filing fee and \$40.00 for the Assignment Recordation Fee) is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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